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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of November 26, 2003, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on February 26, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection in view of the herein contained amendments and comments.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this Response.



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___ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

___ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

___ A Request for Extension of Time.

X No Additional Fee.

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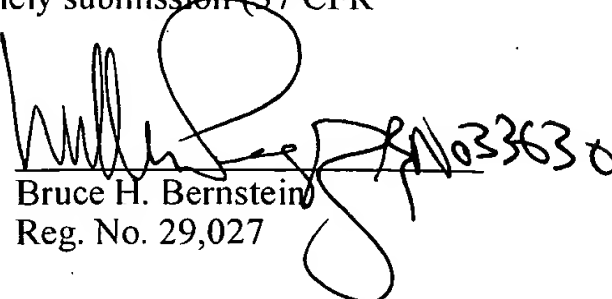
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